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**Marginal Column**  
By GEORGE LEONOV

THE anti-American riots in Tokyo and Osaka on June 25, the second anniversary of the war in Korea, broke out almost before the rumblings of the May eruption had died down, and once again underscored the unhappy position of foreign army quarters on a developed and proud people. It means little to the people of Japan that the legal aspects of the "occupation" have been re-written in more palatable and devious language, for the foreign uniform is still omnipresent, the men who wear it enjoy extrajurisdiction, and the people of Japan must still in large part pay for its upkeep on Japanese soil. And while reports of last Wednesday's riots describe them as Communist-led and inspired, other and previous reports leave no room for doubt that large sections of the Japanese people are beginning more and more to resent the treaties which gave the U.S. the right to retain military bases in Japan.

THE fact that the recent 10 orders came so soon after 3,000 demonstrators throughout the country on May 1 is significant, for in the intervening period the Japanese Government had taken strict police measures banning all outdoor gatherings both in the capital and other large towns. Police raids were carried out on public institutions and universities, as well as private homes, and by the end of May Tokyo's police headquarters revealed that some 1,000 persons had been arrested. Despite the country's rapid economic recovery and some rather impressive statistics, Japan's economy is still beset by many grave ills aggravated by the loss of normal trade channels, the lack of raw materials for her highly-organized industry, and by the falling standard of living of the population. It is not difficult to understand how easily mass dissatisfaction can be directed against the "foreign" troops in Japan's eyes, realizing that the elements which had organized the demonstrations left no propaganda stone unturned against the U.S.

NEW slogans appeal more to the intensely patriotic Japanese, proud of their culture and devoted to the "Japanese way of life" with the myriad nuances of etiquette governing all aspects of this life — so vague that the distinctions are almost imperceptible to the foreign eye. The introduction of scores of thousands of healthy and robust young Americans into this delicate, balanced social pattern could not but have an adverse effect, the more so that the Japanese language and culture are so different and are far removed from Occidental conceptions; nor is a G.I. on a duty in Japan with the likelihood of crossing the straits to Korea, much inclined to devote himself to unravelling their mysteries. Added to this his sense of superiority derived from an incomparably higher standard of living have watered seeds of hostility.

MEMORY is not so short that America's experience in neighboring China could not serve as an object lesson. History had hardly time to wink before the ingrained conception among the Chinese people of America as the champion of their rights was compelled to surrender. Prior to the Second World War the U.S. maintained but a handful of troops in the International Settlement of Shanghai, in Tientsin, and a few Legation Guards in Peking, accompanied with the more formidable forces of Britain and France. Some 100,000 U.S. troops landed as friendly allies on Chinese soil at war's end. They came to accept the Japanese surrender on behalf of Chiang Kai-shek in areas inaccessible to the latter's troops because Mao Tse-tung's armies were in the way. Yet shortly after the slightly ruffled American eagle had settled, the noble bird was being painted for a raven.

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## Congress Overrides Truman's Veto

WASHINGTON, Saturday (Reuter). — A complete overhaul of U.S. immigration and naturalization laws was put on the statute books by Congress yesterday despite the veto of President Truman, who had contended that the measure would stifle U.S. leadership for peace.

## House Votes End To U.S. Price Controls

WASHINGTON, Saturday (Reuter). — The House on Thursday administered President Truman one of his severest setbacks as it passed by a vote of 377 to 235 a bill to end the price controls on most goods. The measure retains the present system of immigration and increases only slightly the permissible number of immigrants. It will become effective on December 27.

The Senate vote cut sharply across party lines: 25 Democrats and 32 Republicans voted to override the veto, while 18 Democrats and eight Republicans voted to sustain it. In yesterday's debate Senator McCarran accused the President of making unfair attacks on the measure. He said if the immigration floodgates were opened without careful screening the nation's internal security would be destroyed.

## Crowds Throng Seaside Despite Country-Wide Traffic Stoppage

The streets of the country's main towns were empty of private cars and taxis yesterday. The only vehicles to be seen were a number of commercial vehicles and lorries, as well as those of the police, privileged private cars, ambulances, motorcycles and bicycles. The traffic restrictions, however, did not prevent bathers from crowding the seashore. To residents of Tel Aviv's outlying quarters, the first week-end of the traffic restrictions came as a form of house curfew, as they found the distance to the beach too far to walk. Luckily persons living nearer the shore strolled down to the beach.

Beaches to the north and south of Tel Aviv were also crowded. The cliff near Bat Yam beach was jammed with more than 200 lorries and commercial vehicles. The life guard on the beach reported that the bathers appeared to be normal for a Saturday morning. Drivers in Tel Aviv remarked that it was at least a pleasure to drive through town, while bus drivers reported that a trip in a No. 4 bus from the Central Bus Station to the Port in the north took only about 15 minutes as compared with about 40 minutes at the same time on a normal day. The speed-up of bus service cut down queues considerably, and the wait for buses was less than usual on Friday.

Few violations of the regulations were reported. The few apprehended in Tel Aviv on Friday were driven late getting home before sunset, but they nevertheless had their licenses taken away since the police had received strict instructions in the matter. In Haifa, the transport service maintained yesterday by the Labour Council softened the impact of the restrictions on Saturday traffic. Trucks and lorries were manned by drivers organized in the Transport Workers' Union piled all day

## Steel Strike Cuts Output at Ford's

DETROIT, Saturday (Reuter). — One of the U.S. automobile industry's "Big Three" — the Ford Motor Company, has announced a series of mass shutdowns and lay-offs as a result of the nation's steel strike which began on June 2.

## Boehm Returns For Monday's Talks

THE HAGUE, Saturday (Reuter). — Franz Boehm, leader of the German delegation to the Hague talks with Israel and world Jewry on compensation for Nazi victims, returned here from Bonn yesterday.

The German delegation and the juridical subcommittee of the Israel delegation met to prepare formulation of various clauses of the agreement. A full meeting also took place between the German and world Jewry "claims conference" delegations, where global claims were discussed and questions on the world Jewry \$500 million claim were dealt with.

No Higher Offer. Reports from Bonn concerning an increase in the German offer, from three to four milliard marks to 14 milliard marks were incorrect, it was learned. The offer discussed by the delegations concerned the payment of three milliard marks in goods to be spread over a twelve year period.

The misunderstanding may have arisen from someone's adding to the three milliard marks offer to Israel the world Jewish claim on which no definite German offer has as far been made.

## German Debt Talks Near Conclusion

LONDON, Saturday. — The German debt conference here is expected to conclude successfully within a fortnight following indications of German readiness to allocate larger sums to external debt servicing.

The German suggestions that such allocations could not exceed 170m. marks for several years were largely responsible for the creditors' original rejection of the German offer. The precise figure of the new allocation is unknown, but it is understood to be substantially above the original offer.

A tentative agreement has been reached on nearly all major points. Subject to settling Anglo-U.S. differences of the dollar clause issue, the conference is believed to be nearing a settlement, and the talks held by Mr. Dean Acheson here are likely to produce high-level intervention to terminate the dollar clause dispute.

## Z.O.A. President Sees Ambassador Eban

WASHINGTON, Saturday (INA). — The President of the Zionist Organization of America, Rabbi Irving Miller, called on Ambassador Abba Eban at the Embassy yesterday. Problems of mutual interest to the Israel Government and the Z.O.A. were discussed.

## New Finance Minister's Order of Business

The implementation of the capital levy on property, as well as the completion of the Compulsory Loan, is to be the first order of business of the new Finance Minister, Mr. Levi Eshkol. He is also to prepare the 1952/53 Development Budget and make plans for utilizing reparations payments, he told an "Hadar" correspondent.

Mr. Eshkol is also to be confirmed as Director General of the Finance Ministry today, it was said.

## Ministers Agree On Soviet Note And Asian Policy

BERLIN, Saturday (Reuter). — Dean Acheson arrived here today by air from London after talks with the British, French, and Danish Foreign Ministers in London. His formal reason for visiting Berlin was to lay a library foundation stone at a ceremony tomorrow, but his visit is generally accepted as a demonstration of U.S. determination to maintain Berlin's status against recent Soviet menaces.

The Communiqué issued after the London talks read: "The three Foreign Ministers discussed the situation in Europe, Korea, and South East Asia, including a meeting to discuss the Korean peninsula since their meeting last May."

They re-affirmed their agreement on the necessity for close cooperation and consultation in regard to both Korea and South East Asia, and considered means to ensure this. The ministers considered the draft reply to the Soviet note prepared by the Washington draft group.

They reached agreement on the substance of the reply which will now be sent in final form. It is believed that the final reply will be drafted in Washington and will be ready for dispatch next week.

## Planned in Vienna

VIENNA, Saturday (Reuter). — Austrian police said today that they expect big Communist demonstrations when American State Secretary Acheson arrives in Vienna from Berlin tomorrow.

The Soviet controlled "Russian hour" on the Vienna Radio has announced a big "anti-imperialist" evening in the grounds of the former Imperial Palace in which Russians have their main Officers' Club. The festival will be used as a gathering point for thousands of workers from Russian-controlled factories who will take part in "protest" marches, the police said.

Police said that all Communist Party offices had been busy for days preparing huge banners for use in demonstrations against the visit.

## Talal Boards Italian Liner for Beirut

VENICE, Saturday (Reuter). — King Talal of Jordan left here today in the 12,000 ton Italian liner Esperia for Beirut, Lebanon. He is accompanied by three aides. The Jordanian Charge d'Affaires in Rome, Edmond Bey Roch, also boarded the liner at Venice but was due to leave it at Bari in southern Italy.

The Esperia is due at Beirut on the morning of July 3. King Talal spent nearly all his short stay at Venice in his hotel room accompanied by Edmond Bey Roch. He refused to make any statement to the press. He had spent the last few weeks at Lausanne where his wife, Queen Zein, refused to accompany him. It was understood she and Jordan Government ministers who saw the King in Switzerland had urged him to take a mental rest in a clinic either at Geneva, Beirut or in Amman.

## FATE OF LEBANESE GOVT. IN BALANCE

The Lebanese parliament, at present in recess, was scheduled to have an emergency session today, which observers believe may decide the fate of the Government. Much interest is attached to the move, especially in view of the current unrest in the country, following the creation of a new, ostensibly anti-Government parliamentary group headed by Finance Minister Emil Lahud.

The Lebanese Press Association has proclaimed its extensive interest in developments in Lebanon and showed awareness of problems in the Middle East. The Foreign Minister later spent an hour in a personal and intimate talk with the Minister for External Affairs, Mr. Lester Pearson, in which they covered all major problems of the Middle East as well as international questions scheduled to come up for discussion in the General Assembly.

## 4th Consecutive Raid On Korea Power Plants

### Rhee Police Rescue Opposition Deputies

PURAN, Saturday. — Police tonight rescued 50 Korean Assemblymen from the National Assembly hall, where they had been trapped by a shouting mob for more than five hours. Police held back 600 jeering demonstrators to allow the Assemblymen to leave.

The crowd was demanding that the Assembly either dissolve itself or approve President Rhee's demand for a two-chamber parliament and direct election of the president.

Twice the crowd was urged to calm down by Home Minister Lee Bum, President Rhee's supporter in the Cabinet. Then the police went into action. Earlier the Assembly had adjourned without acting on a resolution backed by 81 Rhee supporters calling for dissolution.

## Truman Hears Report On Atomic Development

WASHINGTON, Saturday (Reuter). — One of the country's leading atomic scientists called on President Truman yesterday to report on great developments in atomic energy.

Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer, chairman of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission's General Committee, told reporters after his visit: "There have been such great developments in atomic energy that we felt we should report on these directly to the President. We wish we could say what was in the report, but we cannot."

## USSR Denies Involvement In Swedish Spy Case

STOCKHOLM, Saturday (Reuter). — Soviet Ambassador Konstantin Rodionov in the Foreign Ministry today rejected an earlier Swedish protest that Soviet Embassy officials were involved in the present trial of seven Swedish Communists accused of spying for Russia, the Foreign Ministry announced tonight.

Mr. Rodionov said his Government denied the charges and that suggestions that they were involved in the case were "an invention of provocateurs who want to impair the good neighbourly relations existing between Sweden and the Soviet Union."

## Israel Bond Issue Planned During Sharett's Canada Visit

OTTAWA, Saturday (INA). — Marking the first occasion on which the Canadian Government accorded official honour to an Israel Cabinet Minister, Mr. Moshe Sharett's visit is regarded here as a considerable diplomatic and personal success.

Mr. Sharett was received by Governor-General Vincent Massey who expressed extensive interest in developments in Israel and showed awareness of problems in the Middle East.

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## Bombings 'Established Policy'—Clark

TOKYO, Saturday (Reuter). — Allied planes bombed hydro-electric power stations in North Korea for the fourth time this week yesterday, the Fifth Air Force announced today. Targets for the latest attack were the No. 1 and No. 2 power stations and marshalling yards at the Changjin (Chosin) reservoir in north-eastern Korea.

## Acheson's 'Apology' Shocks Republicans

WASHINGTON, Saturday (Reuter). — The Republican leader in the Senate, Mr. Styles Bridges, said on Thursday night he was shocked by a press report from London that Secretary of State Acheson had apologized to Members of Parliament for America's failure to give British advance notice of the bombing of the Yalu River power stations.

Senator Bridges told the Senate "it is a shocking thing" if Mr. Acheson did apologize. Republican Senator William Knowland demanded that the full text of Mr. Acheson's remarks be made available to Congress. Referring to reports that Britain wanted a bigger voice in the conduct of the Korean war, Mr. Knowland said he had no objection to giving any nation more say if it was willing to assume a larger share of the burden of the war. He told the Senate he believed protests from the British Parliament amount to "giving aid and comfort to the men in the Kremlin."

## British, French Socialists, Nehru, Express Concern

LONDON, Saturday. — Leaders of British and French parliamentary opposition today again voiced concern over the U.N. raids on North Korean power plants along the Yalu River, separating Korea from Manchuria.

Former Defence Minister Emmanuel Shinwell called for an immediate U.N. conference to re-examine the position in the Far East. "It is now quite clear that the Korean affair can only be settled by diplomatic means," he told a Labour Party rally in Wellingborough. It was vital to prevent the Korean war from spreading, he said.

Another Cabinet Minister in the last Labour Government, Sir Hartley Shawcross, said in St. Helens today that it was Britain's own fault if she was not consulted over the power plant bombing in Korea. While these relations may well have been perfectly proper military targets, he told a political meeting, "the trouble is we do not know." We were not consulted. But this is not so much the fault of the Americans as of our own Government. We have not exerted the influence of the British Commonwealth in international affairs.

Query Lovett's Stand. In Paris the French Socialist leader, M. Guy Mollet, today protested against the Yalu bombings and talked of a return to a policy "already condemned in the time of Gen. MacArthur." After seeing Premier Antoine

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Baghdad	25	13	26	28
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The Omani Bank's general manager in London decided last week to declare a dividend of eight shillings (sterling) a share capital of 10 shillings to be paid in London, Paris, on Tuesday, July 2.

WIZO's second one-day symposium for women is to be held under the auspices of Dr. Regina Zimmelsheim at the Ramat Aviv Hotel, Tel Aviv, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. tomorrow. Mrs. Zimmelsheim is to give practical demonstrations in presentation, voice production and sales.

The Registration Office of the Tel Aviv Education Department is to be closed on Tuesday.

A person who found a lost dog, a small black and white, was reported to the Tel Aviv Police on Tuesday.

Consistent of not registering a quantity of goods, Israel Customs, under a decision of the Tel Aviv District Court, has ordered the Tel Aviv Anti-Fraud Tribunal on Friday.

### Personal Notices

#### OUR PRIDE, OUR BELOVED LITTLE SON

### PETER

left us forever on Saturday eve, June 28, in the Hadassah Hospital at the age of 5½, loving all and loved by all.

We mourn our great loss with sorrow and pain: Andre and Zeuzi Gal, parents; Little Yael, sister; grandmothers, Aranka, uncle Marcel, his relatives and all who knew him. The funeral will take place on Sunday, June 29, at 11 a.m. from the Hadassah Hospital, Rehov Ma'ar, Tel Aviv. Please refrain from visits of condolence.

#### WE DEEPLY REGRET TO ANNOUNCE THE SUDDEN DEATH OF THE HEAD OF OUR FAMILY

### Ephraim Goldmann

who was taken from us on the night of Friday, June 27, 1953, in his 50th year.

The funeral will leave his house,

8 Rehov Shapira, Tel Aviv, at 3 p.m. today.

Mourning by his wife and daughters;

Mr. Bar-Kochba and Mr. Alexandroni, his sons-in-law; Abraham, Shlomo, Malka, Moshe and Yehiel, his brothers and sisters; Mr. Rojani and Mr. Pasmank, his brothers-in-law and their families.

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### Ephraim Goldmann

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#### THE TOMBSTONES OF THE LATE

### Mr. and Mrs. Moses Morrison

Zionist leaders of Natal, South Africa, will be unveiled on Tuesday, July 1, at 4 p.m. at Sandhurst Cemetery, Jerusalem. Relatives, friends and all interested are invited to attend.

For the numerous expressions of sincere sympathy on the occasion of the death of our beloved

### DR. HARRY (ZVI) SINGER

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THE BEREAVED FAMILY

Memorial Meeting for the late

### HANNA SPECTOR

of New York

will be held at the Zionist Executive Club, 4 Rehov Pines, Tel Aviv, at 8 p.m. today (Sunday) July 27. Attendance is requested.

## Control Dept. Head Resigns Over Budget Difficulties

Mr. Zvi Lohman, head of the Control Department of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, and the organizer of the economic control apparatus, has resigned, it was learned in Jerusalem yesterday.

The reasons given for Mr. Lohman's resignation are the difficulties he encountered in obtaining the necessary budget for his department.

The first semi-annual report covering the period November, 1951 to May, 1952, which was completed recently, indicates that black market goods valued at IL1,200,000 were seized. More than 1,000 files were handed over to the Attorney General for prosecution. For the contravention of regulations, licenses were withdrawn from about 50 food factories and from 53 hotels and restaurants. The Ministry stopped raw material allocations to 11 textile factories and supplies to over 70 textile shops.

Among the commodities confiscated were 23 tons of chocolate and sweets, 23 tons of sugar, 140,000 eggs, 200 head of cattle and thousands of chickens. More than 30 inspectors were injured while investigating "black" meat sources, mainly in Tel Aviv.

#### Control Activities

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## Electricity Rates Raised by P.E.C.

HAIFA, Saturday. — A steep rise in electricity rates, ranging from 25 to more than 40 per cent, will go into effect on all meter readings beginning tomorrow, the Palestine Electric Company announced here yesterday. Consumers in effect will be paying the new rate retroactively for two months. Domestic use will cost 40 per cent more, but if consumption exceeds a certain minimum, the increase will be even higher. The fuel surcharge of 11 prutim per kWh will remain unchanged.

Electricity for irrigation will be up by 25 per cent, that for industrial and water supply purposes by 40 per cent. All other types of consumption will cost 40 per cent more. A rise in water rates appears likely.

Householders from whom no demand has yet been collected will have to pay IL2 for the first month, IL2 for the second, and IL3 for every additional month.

Other types of consumers will have to make a deposit equal to their electricity bill for two months, or if this is not possible, IL30 for only one month. The Company will pay five per cent interest on all deposits.

Deposits will be collected from households in IL1 monthly installments. Other consumers will be permitted to spread the payment of deposits over five months.

GEN. RILEY FLYING BACK TO JLEM

The Arab News Agency reports from New York that Major General William E. Riley, U.N. Chief of Staff, left for Jerusalem on Thursday en route to Jerusalem. The report says that Gen. Riley is to intervene personally in several outstanding disputes which have bedeviled Israeli-Jordanian relations.

Addressing the weekly luncheon meeting of the Commercial and Industrial Club, he said that 85 to 90 per cent of the applications were granted (14,000 out of 17,000 applicants in Tel Aviv last year).

Mr. Silberberg added that the public complaints were due more to the administration of the law than the law itself.

Clerks dealing with such matters were inadequately housed in small offices. Most persons applying for visas tried to use "protection" before their case was dealt with, so that the clerks were bombarded with telephone calls before they came to deal with the applicant himself, thus having little time to deal with the public.

Most applicants calling at the office were excited and anxious about getting their visas. Mr. Silberberg pointed out. This also tended to make the work no easier and complicated relations between civil servants and the public.

The Tel Aviv office of the Migration Section deals with 60 per cent of all the section's business throughout the country, the speaker said. Between 600 and 800 applications were filed daily.

Of the 1,500 entry visas granted by the Tel Aviv office last year, 1,000 were granted to "temporary workers," including foreign experts, and 1,000 to tourists who wished to register as immigrants.

The other 2,000 were given to foreign residents leaving the country. Even if these persons wished to emigrate, they were granted re-entry visas to help them while abroad, Mr. Silberberg said.

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## W. German Steel Outstrips U.K.

GENEVA, Saturday (Reuter). — Western Germany's monthly steel production has outstripped that of Britain, it was disclosed here today.

In March this year, Western Germany produced 1,230,000 tons compared to Britain's 1,130,000 tons, according to figures issued here today by the U.N. Economic Commission for Europe.

British steel production for 1952, based on figures for the first quarter, is estimated at 16,200,000 tons, an increase of about 330,000 tons. Western Germany's production this year is estimated at 15,200,000 tons—an increase of 1.7m. tons—and increased production in the next year or so is expected to see Germany take Britain's place as Europe's largest steel producer.

Western Europe's steel production as a whole is expected to attain the record figure of 64m. tons this year, compared with 58m. tons last year.

No 1953 figures are available for the Soviet Union, but it is thought last year's total of 13.3m. tons will be slightly bettered.

USSR Bumper Cotton Crop

LONDON, Saturday (Reuter). — The Soviet Union is producing more raw cotton than the combined production of India, Pakistan and Egypt, according to a recent article in "Pravda".

This season's crop will exceed by 24 per cent the existing all-time record for Soviet cotton yield.

The article describes the enormous possibilities for development offered by extensive networks of canals being built in the lower reaches of the Amu-Darya River in the Caspian lowlands, as well as in the basins of the Don, Volga and Dnieper.

Emphasizing the gravity of the situation in the peninsula, delegates warned that unless campaigns in this area and southwestern Arabia are successful, very extensive breeding might be expected towards the end of 1953, with a grave and direct threat to East Africa.

The U.N. Food and Agricultural Organization is acting to aid the locust campaign, particularly in Ethiopia, Yemen and French Somaliland.

Security Council Turns Down Soviet Demand

UNITED NATIONS, Saturday (Reuter). — The Security Council on Thursday refused to support a Soviet demand that all nations in the world should ratify the Geneva Protocol of 1925, banning the use of gas and germ warfare.

PARIS, Saturday (Reuter). — The Soviet Union now accuses one million prisoners of war, according to a report issued here by the North Atlantic Treaty Council.

The report said "It is likely that most of the three million missing prisoners have filled camps and nameless graveyards along the new Trans-Siberian railway."

AN issue of the "Pravda" which reached Shanghai in December 1948 said two million Western army prisoners and 800,000 Japanese were working in Central Siberia, most of them engaged in building the Trans-Siberian railway.

The report gave four specific motives which probably influenced the Soviet policy towards prisoners: 1. The effort to find assets among prisoners who would work for Communism in their own countries; 2. Anti-Soviet propaganda by returned prisoners; 3. Blackmail; 4. Extortion.

"Adopting a conservative estimate," the report charged, "the total number of prisoners taken by the Soviet Union during the second stage of their participation in World War II can be placed at approximately seven million. Repatriated represent a little less than half the total, which means that at least forty per cent of the prisoners in the Soviet Union died in their camps between 1945 and 1950."

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## Cables in Brief

PROTEST. — The UNRWA has been accused by the Arab League of being a tool of the Jewish Government.

EXTENDED. — The French Government announced its decision to extend martial law in Tunisia by one month until the end of July.

INCIDENTS. — A British soldier was killed and a British officer was wounded in a clash with Arab forces in the Sinai Peninsula.

DISTURBANCES. — An army of 10,000 men was sent to the Sinai Peninsula to quell disturbances in the area.

LOAN. — The U.S. Senate Armed Services Committee on Thursday unanimously approved the loan of \$100 million to the French Government.

MONUMENT. — The Argentine Chamber of Deputies has approved a bill to erect a monument to the Argentine soldiers who died in the Falkland Islands.

RECEIVED. — Admiral Lord Mountbatten, Commander-in-Chief of the British Mediterranean Fleet, is visiting Jerusalem in his capacity as a peace officer.

RETURN. — Twenty-four Yugoslav high school boys who were captured in the Balkans during the war, have returned to their homes.

AMBUSH. — The British Army announced yesterday that it had ambushed a party of Communist guerrillas in the Sinai Peninsula.

LIBEL. — The Communist newspaper "Pravda" has accused the British Government of libel.

ARMY. — American authorities have decided to turn over all Soviet equipment captured in Korea to Yugoslavia.

VISITOR. — Ex-King Peter of Yugoslavia arrived in London yesterday from Geneva.

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6.25 p.m. 6.34 p.m.

THE JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE. AGRICULTURAL SETTLEMENT DEPT. EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES SECTION. TENDER

The Equipment and Supplies Section of the Settlement Department of the Jewish Agency hereby invites tenders for the purchase of second-hand machinery. The list of machinery to be sold can be seen at the office of the Equipment and Supplies Section at Tel Aviv, 1 Rehov Levontin, Room 8. Persons interested can see the list and obtain other particulars daily between 8 a.m. & 12 noon.

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